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1. ☒ The amendment filed on 14 August 2006 under 37 CFR 1.312 has been considered, and has been:

a) ☒ entered.

b) ☐ entered as directed to matters of form not affecting the scope of the invention.

c) ☐ disapproved because the amendment was filed after the payment of the issue fee.

Any amendment filed after the date the issue fee is paid must be accompanied by a petition under 37 CFR 1.313(c)(1) and the required fee to withdraw the application from issue.

d) ☐ disapproved. See explanation below.

e) ☐ entered in part. See explanation below.

*Included with this letter are printouts of: 1) the assignment recordation page showing the chain of assignments that presently end with the assignment to Quickshift, Inc, and 2) an image of part of the Bibliographic Data Sheet for this application that shows the small entity designation..*

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